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To Whom It May Concern:

We would like to register my support for a continuation of the Coos Bay Rail Line. I strongly oppose the Abandonment of the Coos Bay Line by Corp and fully support the feeder line application of the Oregon International Port of Coos Bay.

We believe you have sufficient facts and data to substantiate the need for this transportation medium to Coos Bay. Corp's immediate closure of the Coos Bay line almost a year ago has had a crippling impact on the population and economic viability of Coos County Oregon and places the economic future of Oregon's Bay Area in serious jeopardy.

The coastal communities in Oregon are already, without this closure of the Rail Line, at a serious economic disadvantage. The economy here is currently very problematic even with the Rail Line. The lack of Rail service from this International Port can create an economic disaster for this rural area. We now have no way to transport heavy large items such as wood products and manufactured materials to and from our area.

Sincerely,

William C Plummer, Owner

Wesley A Plummer, Owner

Brandie C Cooksey, Secretary